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Group Art Unit : 3713  
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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION  
UNDER 37 CFR 1.114**

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A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified patent application is hereby made by the applicants. Applicants provide the submission indicated below.

**SUBMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.114**

Please enter the Amendment after Final Rejection under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on January 21, 2004.

Please charge the fee of \$770.00 for the Request for Continued Examination to Deposit Account No. 10-1250.

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant respectfully requests a first one-month extension of time from September 17, 2003 to October 17, 2003. Please charge the fee of \$110.00 for the first one-month extension from January 21, 2004 to February 21, 2004 to Deposit Account No. 10-1250.

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